

**SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
HEARING OFFICER DIRECTIVE**

**DOCKET NOS. 2019-224-E and 2019-225-E      Order No. 2021-26-H**

**MARCH 4, 2021**

**Hearing Officer: David Stark**

**DOCKET DESCRIPTION:**

**South Carolina Energy Freedom Act (House Bill 3659) Proceeding Related to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-37-40 and Integrated Resource Plans for Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC**

**And**

**South Carolina Energy Freedom Act (House Bill 3659) Proceeding Related to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-37-40 and Integrated Resource Plans for Duke Energy Progress, LLC**

**MATTERS UNDER CONSIDERATION:**

**Motion for Confidential Treatment**

**HEARING OFFICER'S ACTION:**

**By letter filed February 8, 2021, the South Carolina Solar Business Alliance, Inc. is making a Motion for Confidential Treatment for the Direct Testimony/Exhibits of its Witness Kevin Lucas. The Motion asserts that Mr. Lucas' Direct Testimony/Exhibits contain Confidential and/or propriety information provided to Mr. Lucas by the Duke Companies – Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC.**

**Due to the assertion that the Confidential Version of Mr. Lucas' Testimony/Exhibits contains Confidential and/or proprietary information, it shall be held under seal. The Motion is granted.**